

# VA Boston Healthcare System Psychology Practicum Program 2022-2023



## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:	
Home Address:	
Cell Phone:	Primary E-Mail:
Office Phone:	Secondary E-Mail:
U.S. Citizenship:    YES                      NO	

## CURRENT MATRICULATION

Current College/University:			
University Address:			
Date Entered Program:		Program:	
Title of Master's Thesis (if any):			
Director of Training:			Phone Number:
If Enrolled in a Doctoral Degree Program:		If Enrolled in a Master's Degree Program:	
Ph.D. <input type="checkbox"/>  Psy.D. <input type="checkbox"/>  Ed.D. <input type="checkbox"/>	Clinical <input type="checkbox"/>  Counseling <input type="checkbox"/>	M.A. <input type="checkbox"/>  M.S. <input type="checkbox"/>  M.Ed. <input type="checkbox"/>	
<p>I am applying for the following type of practicum placement:</p> <p>Mid-Aug to mid-Aug    <input type="checkbox"/>    _____ Total Hours (see rotation for minimum hrs/week)</p> <p>Mid-Aug to early May    <input type="checkbox"/>    _____ Total Hours (see rotation for minimum hrs/week)</p> <p><i>*NOTE: This option is only available for students in the BUSM Mental Health &amp; Behavioral Medicine Program. Practicum placement ends on the last day of final exams.</i></p> <p>Other    <input type="checkbox"/>    _____ Specify time period &amp; hours per week. Standard placements are 12-months, 16 hrs/week, but exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis.</p>			

## OTHER EDUCATION

Undergraduate College or University:

Degree:

Date:

Major:

Honors:

Other Master's University or College (if any):

Degree:

Date:

Field:

Title of Master's Thesis (if any):

## TRAINING ASSIGNMENT

**Directions:** Please rate your strength of interest for ALL clinical areas. Be sure to rank **NO MORE THAN THREE** areas as "strongest" interest.

**Please do not apply to a rotation for which the available hours per week or the required days of the week do not fit your schedule for next year. See brochure for further information.**

	Strongest Interest	High Interest	Moderate Interest	Low Interest	Not Interested
JP PTSD Clinical Team (16 hrs/wk)					
JP Women's Trauma Recovery Team (8-12 hrs/wk)					
JP Substance Abuse Treatment (20-24 hrs/wk)					
JP Behavioral Medicine (16-20 hrs/wk)					
JP Neuropsychology (16-20 hrs/wk)					
JP Center for Returning Veterans (12-16 hrs/wk)					
Brockton Inpatient MH Services (8-20 hrs/wk)					
Brockton/WR Rehab Psychology (16-20 hrs/wk)					
Brockton WITRP (16-24 hrs/wk)					

**Directions:** Please indicate what experience you have had in the following areas:

Blank = No Experience

1 = Occasional Experience

2 = One semester or equivalent

3 = Two semesters or equivalent

4 = One to two years working in this area

5 = Worked in this area for several years

	Inpatient	Outpatient
Behavioral Medicine	_____	_____
Substance Use Disorders	_____	_____
PTSD	_____	_____
Neuropsychology	_____	_____
Geropsychology	_____	_____
Rehab Psychology	_____	_____

## PRACTICUM EXPERIENCE

List expected practicum experience(s) as of May 1, 2022:

\_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** These divisions are meant to be mutually exclusive and hours should not be double counted across sections. The sum of all the subdivisions should equal the total direct service hours.

1. Hours of direct intervention with clients/patients by format listed below:

(a) Individuals \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Couples \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Families \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Groups \_\_\_\_\_

2. Hours of direct assessment with clients/patients by format listed below:

(a) Hours of formal psychometric testing \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Hours of interview/observation-based assessment \_\_\_\_\_

3. Hours in formal consultation, primary prevention services, and/or psychoeducation rendered \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL direct service hours: \_\_\_\_\_

## OTHER APPLICATION INFORMATION

1. In a cover letter, please describe your interests and specific qualifications for rotations in which you have a strong interest. Do this for at least one and **NO MORE THAN THREE** rotations.
2. In this letter, please list the names of all graduate courses you have taken and/or completed by the time of entry into practicum training.
3. Please attach a current version of your Curriculum Vitae.
4. Please electronically submit one letter of recommendation from a clinical supervisor.

### **Application Deadlines:**

**Affiliate** applications (Boston University & Harvard University) will be accepted beginning:

**Wednesday, November 24, 2021.**

**Non-affiliate** applications will be accepted beginning:

**Wednesday, December 1, 2021.**

The application deadline for all students is:

**COB Monday, January 3, 2022.**

Please note, VA Boston will participate in the MPA Practicum Training Collaborative, and intends to offer practicum positions to non-affiliate students on Match Day, **Monday, February 14, 2022** (see Cover Letter for additional details).

Please send your completed application and CV via email to: **[Tai.Antoine@va.gov](mailto:Tai.Antoine@va.gov)**